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Dear Dr. Kaczynski,

Thank you very much for your most recent letter. I understand that you and your intermediary, Mr. Serra, have been in contact with . I have left a message with Serra just to touch base. I must confess that I hope very much that things will not work out there, as I am wedded to the idea of publishing your book, and any other books you might produce in the future.

I have been struck by the keen sensibility underlying the information you have related to me regarding both the manuscript and its status, and look forward to more of the same. I would like you to feel at ease regarding your requests. Maintaining confidentiality is very much in my interest. Publishing the manuscript in its entirety has never been an issue with me (which I say at the risk of sounding reckless, since I have yet to see it).

Having said this, I am looking forward to the day of its arrival. I hope this note finds you well.

Yours truly,

*Ben Friedlander*